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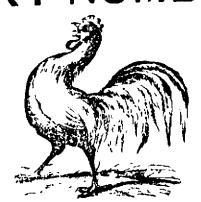
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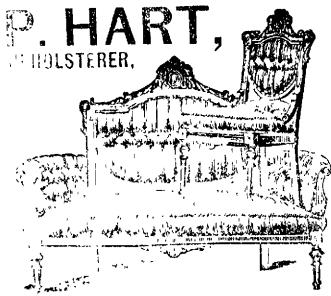
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How to Construct an Asparagus Bed for

What is worth doing at all is worth loing well, however poor a thing it may be. But when something is to be done which, when it is done, one can sit down and say it is done for a lifeime, then indeed we can not do it too well. And such a work is the planting of an asparagus bed in the garden for domestic use. Asparagus is the first green vegetable which is ready for green vegetable which is ready for use in the spring. It is one of the most healthful, agreeable, and nutritious of our common food substances. It lasts until the first green peas and snap beans are ready, and it never outlives its welcome. Its culture is very easy, and with the exception of one insect, the asparagus beetle, it is free from all troublesome peats and diseases. It bears profusely pests and diseases. It bears profusely and continuously, and with a regular seasonable top dressing and cultivation it goes on growing and yielding, year after year, steadily and without any failure. It is easily suited in regard to soil, although it will do the best on a warm, rich, deep, sandy loam. Yet it will thrive on a stiff clay if it is liberally mixed with decayed manure and The manner of planting, however, is

the most important, because if that is not done in the right manner all goes wrong afterward A good deal of nonsense is written about planting asparagus. It is usually advised to plant it in lows five feet apart and three feet apart in the rows. This is an excessive waste of ground and of labor in tending so much space unnecessarily. I the rows are three feet apart and the roots are a foot apart in the row the plants have quiet enough room. All they need is to have a good, itch bed prepared and to be well planted in it. The following method is an excellent one. The ground selected for its convenients: tuation near the house, so that one may go in a hurry and cut a supply for the product of the planted with the planted with a supply for the planted with the planted wi ply for dunner, is well covered with manure and then deeply plowed. Trenches three feet apart from center to center and eighteen inches deep are then opened with a spade and old mahure or compost prepared in advance is put in them six inches deep. Upon this the top soil with the manure in it is turned in for six mehes more in depth and is trodden down. The roots are then spread in the trench with care to keep the crowns in the center of the row and are covered with more of the fine compost, and the ground is then leveled over the rows. This is done in early spring. The roots should be one year old, early dug, and it is worth while to keep a sharp lookout that the toots are in good condition. A bed prepared in this way described was planted with roots procured from beedsman who, it was supposed, could be trusted. Unfortunately the roots had been taken up in the tall and were stored in harrels in the cellar, where they had heated and become mostly they had heated and become mostly all spoiled, and failed to grow. The labor was lost in a great measure This is one of those frequent instances of serious loss arising from the delinquencies of careless or unprincipled becdsmen, and which need to be granted against when so much labor and expense are risked. It is there-"Frisco Line"

On and after March 26th, Mr George Lower, Traveling Land Agent of the "Frisco Line" will have his office head-marters in Masonic Temple Building, and expense are risked. It is, there-

will be little trouble afterward if the manure is not filled with the seeds. This is also a point to be watched.

The young plants will grow freely and thickly and many shoots will appear from each root. In a bed planted In this way last spring some roots had sent up more than a dozen shoots, which this summer will afford a modof Decatur and surrounding country for the taste in selecting her stock, is now ready to show some handsome Spring third year there will be an ample supply. As five roots will average a regular market bunch every season, and each bunch will easily be worth an average of fifteen cents, a bed of this size, say about one thousand two hundred feet or about four square nually, which is worth at least one bundred per cent. on the cost, the roots costing four dollars for five hun-dred.—N. Y. Times.

fore, necessary to be sure that the roots are tresh and sound. As the

the second year after planting until the second year after planting the intervals between rows may be planted with some crop which will not interfere with the young plants. Dwarf beans are the best for this purpose, and will new for the labor, of keeping.

and will pay for the labor of keeping the ground free from weeds. Weeds should be kept down with the greatest care while the plants are young A

few years' careful cultivation will clean

the ground of weeds so well that there

Training and Cramming. A prominent New England educator. Hon. A. P. Stone, of Springfield, Mass severely criticises some of the present conditions of the public educational system. He says the greatest need of a large number of teachers is knowledge of their business; that in very many cases pupils are trught to meni-orize instead of being led to a working understanding of the fundamental prin-Ohange of Proprietor.

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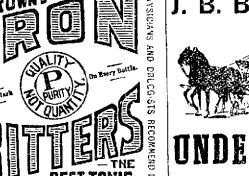
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General Grant's Deposition Introduced in Evidence -- A Manly, Straightforward Recital.

New York, Murch 23. - The testimony a the trial of James D. Pish, Prestdeat of the Marine Bank, was unusually interesting yesterday. Mr. Fish took the stud, and was examined as to the relations between the bank and the firm of terms & Ward. He said that he first met Ferdinand Ward in 1876. He wis introduced by Ward's fatherb law, Mr. Green, Vice-President of the bank. Ward told Fish he was a young man of limited acquaintme and small capital, but ambitious to specied in business, and he solicited Fab's alvice. At the same time Ward rold Fah that he had opportunities month acquitationes to speculate professly in corruleates of membership in the alice Exchange, buying them for \$220 setting them at from \$230 to (3) each. Fish lent Ward money to a time to time to carry on these speculations, and he afterward refield to go into various schemes, and afterward got acquainted with U. Grant, jr., and introduced Fish to him. stirm of Grant & Ward was formed in Grant, Want and Fish cach sup-

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THE CHILIFF AND TRACESTORY word for the letter I did receive, ant are a robe to find it. I have not been in the height of preserving private tetters."

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and he did not know that Fish was raistag money for the firm on discounts until

Neal Hanged.

GRATSON, Kr., March 27.-The execution of William Neal, took place at 1 p. m. Yesterday Neal prepared a statemen written in his own blood, protesting his innocence. There are many persons even in this section who believe there is reasonable doubt as to his baving been guilty of the awful crime. Neal retired at one o'clock this morning. He laid down on a wide cot without ing. He said down on a wide cot wished undressing, and wearing his hand-cuffs, lie soon full asteep and did not awake until 5:30 o'clock. At 6:30 Jailer Tyree called. Being addressed, Neal said, "I feel very well." He breakfasted at 7:30. He conversed freely with all, and said he was prepared to die. He made no confession, but protested his innocence to fession, but protested his innocence to the end. The drop fell promptly at one

At 12:40 Neal was placed in a single At 12:49 Neal was piacou in a single buggy beside Jaller Tyre, a vanguard of 100 men with muskets preceded and Shor-lff Holcomb and Deputy Armstrong fol-lowed with a guard of seventy-five ettizens of Carler County, armed with double-barreded shotguns. The procession moved down the hill in this order, and was ten minutes reaching the gallows. More than 3,000 people witnessed the ex-cutton from the surrounding hills. Neal said on the scaffold: "Gentlemen,

I say to all, this is no place to toll a lie. I stand here to die for a crime I did not commit. One day my innocence will be established. I bid you all good-byo." The noose was immediately adjusted, and at one o'clock Neal dropped, in one minute from the time of reaching the scaffold. His nock was not broken. He died in nineteen minutes.

Sued for Libel.

New York, March 28,-Paul Cherbord esterday brought suit in the Kings County Court against Emil Klaeseig, a German journalist, asking \$10.000 damages for libel. The plaintiff charges that the defendant wrote communications to the Illinois State Zettung and the Berlin Borsen Courier, alleging that he (Cher-lors) was a member of the organization of the Black Hand; that he planued the of the mack frame; that he planted she Anarchist plots which were carried out in Germany and Austria; that he sent in fernal machines to Win. H. Vanderont, Cyrus W. Field and Police Superintendant Machines to Machine Superintendant Machines to Machines and John Ma ent Walling; had committed arson in order to swindle insurance companies; had passed bonds which had been stolen from Banker Esert when he was murdered in Vienna, and was implicated in an attempt to destroy the Andre Monument: The defense was a justification of the libel, and the jury, after hearing the cyliome, returned a verdict for the defendant.

Hostilities Commenced.

Laliberta, San Salvador, March 28. The war which has been thought inevitable for some days past has already become a reality. The forces of Honduras and those of San Salvador have already come into collision, and several skirmishes have occurred. The armies of flustemula and Honduras are acting in harmony, and are now confronting the forces of San Salvador. Active measures are being taken by San Salvador, Nicaragua and Costa Rica to pro-tect themselves against the revolutionary achemia of President Barrios. On the 25th last an alliance, defensive and oftensive, was formally entered into by these three States, and arrangements were perfeeted for putting an effective force in the field. San Salvador, whose territory is most threatened, takes the leading place in the alliance. She will put her whole army in the field. Nicaragus will provide 1,000 men, and Costa Rica sends 2,000. Costa Rea at the same time con-tributes \$100,000 toward the expenses of the war. President Zoldlyar of San Saia for will assume chief command of the allied forces. Cardenas, of Sicaragua will be second in command, and General Solo, of Costa Rica, will probably tak third place.

The Fight for Possession of the Monlo Monthson, Can., March 28, -The Court of Queen's Bouch yesterday morning deelded that Mrs. Monio should be given possession of her little girl, aged eighteen months, but that the two boys should be left under control of their father to remain in the Seminary of the Fathers of the Holy Cross, Mrs any or all first and the second of the secon taken to New York. Mrs. Monjo left for home last evening. Her husband asserts

that he will continue the fight to regain his daughter. General Grant's Condition.

NEW YORK, March 28 .-- General Grant's condition was not cuite as favorable vosterday. He paysed a very restless night and vesterday moraling appeared weaker and more depressed than for several days past. Ho was driven through the park, however, and last evening Dr. Domglas said he was looking

Apsigned. NEW YORK, Murch 29.-T. O. Granuls

NEW YORK, March 28 .-- W. A. Jud-

som & Co., dealers in dry goods at Macon, tia , assigned. Liabilities, \$52,000, and nominat assets, \$75,000. Thirteen Employee Perish in the Flames. Cery or Mexico, March 27 .- A de-

structive fire has occurred in Pueblo. It originated in a gasoline depot, near Hotel The involve knew of the construct held by the find and War I told him that consisted belonging to Julia Uhluk, was almost ensured to the Chicago market. He saw nothing the large eigarette factory, belonging to Julia Uhluk, was almost ensured to Chicago market. He saw nothing

Thirty-Five Miners Killed. CONCEPTION, CHILI (via Galveston), March 28 .- At 1:80 o'clock this morning

an explosion of gas occurred at the coal mines of Senor Errazurius, in Lebu, Thirty-tive miners were killed and thir-teen were dangerously won-ded. Bradstreet's Report. New York, March 28 .- There were 212

failures in the United States reported to Bradstreet's during the week, against 247 in the preceding week, and 162, 170 and 129 in the corresponding weeks of 1984, 1883 and 1832 respectively. "I Don't Feel Like Work."

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Musty and Almost Forgotten Wealth Belonging to the Lincoln Monument Fund.

The Lucky List of Appointees Confirmed Here's Retrenchment. By the Senate-Another Batch Washington, D. C., March 28 .- In of Nominations. Colman's Catch -- Ex-President Arthurfore used by department officials,

Ranchmen Must Go--Retrenchment--Qualified. The Ranchmen Must Go. Remains of 'the Lincoln Monument Fund tary Endicott says that General Hatch has no express orders to drive the rauch-

in the United States Treasury. WASHINGTON, D. C., March 27 .- An old tin box, in which a lot of papers and a package of District of Columbia 8.65 bonds are kept, was opened to-day in the Treasury Department to cut off coupons. This box contains ail that is left of the National Lincoln monument fund, which Senator Pendleton and Governor McLane at one time amounted to over \$20,000. called at the State Department late When first deposited there were about \$1,500 worth of bonds, but la premlums, Ministers to Germany and France. accrued interest and reinvestment of in terest payments it has grown to nearly \$2,700. A large sum was raised shortly after the assassination of Mr. Lincoln by popular contributions of \$1 for the purpose of erecting a bronze monument in commomora-tion of the martyr President. Lincoln, according to the advertised design, was to be the central figure in a group of the

money would continue to flow in from all parts of the country as it did at first, somo very extravagant plans were arsome very extravagant plans were arranged to carry out the general idea. Clark Mills, the celebrated sculptor, was directed to go to work and prepare models for the monumental group. Agents were appointed to make collections at a salary of \$150 per mouth, and a lot of positing, engraving and stationery was transferred. The sculptor's bill for time. purchased. The sculptor's bill for time, labor and material used in the construction of models soon ate large holes in the fund which did not grow in proportion to the demands made upon it. Fluxly when the subscriptions ceased coming in, there was less than \$2,000 left clear of all expenses, and no signs of hope of a monument existed. The cash remaining was converted into 3.65 bonds, the collection agents were discharged, and the accounts and bonds were bundled into the tin box brought This was deposited in the forth to-day. United States Treasury for security, and It is only when the box is opened to add a few dollars interest to the fund that the

leading emancipators of the day. A committee of prominent citizens was ap-

pointed to take charge of the matter, and

ex-Treasurer Spinner was appointed Treasurer of the fund. Confident that

Confirmed. Washington, D. C., March 27 .- The Senate in executive session to-day confirmed the following nominations: Captain David B. Harmony, of Penu sylvania, to be Chief the Bureau of Yards and Docks of the Navy Department, with the relative rank of Commander. Thos. C. Crenshaw, of Georgia, to be Collector of Internal Revenue for the Dis-

side world it is wholly forgotten.

trict of Georgia. POSTMASTERS. Robert C. Denton, Gainesville, Tex. Wm. L. Wartham, Sulphur Springs,

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James T. Wiley, Elizabeth, N. J. Henry C. Shannon, Erie, Pa. Nothing Learned at Washington. Washington, D. C., March 27 .- No information bearing upon the Anglo-Russian difficulty has been received at the State Department up to three o'clock

this afternoon. Nominations.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 28 .- Prestdent Cleveland sent another batch of nominations to the Senate yesterday afernoon. But the Senate having adreach that body in time, and will lie over | trow that it would require the until Monday next. Among the names included in the list were those of Judge McCue, of Brooklyn, N. Y., to succeed H. S. MoNeal, Solicitor of the Treasury, resigned, and Joseph E. Johnson, of Virginia (the Confederate General), to be Commissioner of Rallroads. The name of Colonel Norman J. Colman, of Missouri, to be Commissioner of Agri-culture is also believed to be in the list, as well as the following army appointment: Wm. J. Volkmar, of General Sheridan's staff, to be Assistant Adjutant-General, and Captain Geo. H. Burton to be Assistant Inspector-General of the army.

Colonel Norman J. Colman. Washington, D. C., March 28 .-Colonel Colman, of St. Louis, whom it is believed the President has nominated for Commissioner of Agriculture, is the pubborn in New York State and is about fifty-five years of age. He removed to Missouri about thirty-five years ago. He has been a member of both branches of the Missouri Legislature, and was once elected Lieutenaut-Governor of the State.

Ex-President Arthur. WASHINGTON, D. C., March 28.-Ex-President Arthur will leave Washington this afternoon for Fortress Monroe, via the Baitimore & Bay Line of steamers. He will be accompanied by Senator Don Cameron and Marshal McMichael, Mr. Arthur will remain at Fortress Monroe about ten days, and then proceed to New York to attend the complimentary dinner tendered him by the cluzens of that city.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 28 .- The Commission appointed to investigate the Treasury Department with a view to reducing the force, held their first formal meeting yesterday. The Commission will begin work to-day by examining the Bureau of Internal Revenue. They will probably examine the Sixth Auditor's office next.

accordance with the order of Secretary Lamar, the horses and carriages owned by the Interior Department, and heretosold at auction yesterday. More than \$10,000 were realized from the sale. WASHINGTON, D. C., March 28 .- Score-

men out of Oklahoma, but that it is the purpose of the administration to clear the Territory of all intrudors, whether settlers or rauchmen. Qualified. WASHINGTON, D. C., March 28 .- Ex-

The Western Pennsylvania Coal Strike PITTSBURGH, PA., March 28.—Reports from river and railroad last night indicated but little change in the status of the miners' strike. At noon yesterday word was received at the general office of the miners that the Birmingham Coal Company, better known as Keeling's works, and employing about three hundred and lifty men, had started to run to al to the river. The three-cent rate had been conceded some time ago, but only local trade was served, and this move is regarded by the miners as the the first victory for the strikers in the lower pools.

cost of the river strike, says the fourth pool men alone have lost \$57,600 in wages during the past three weeks. This amount, he holds, can be recovered in a little over two months by steady work at the price demanded. In the meantime Pittsburgh operators are income. meantime Pittsburgh operators are buying Kanawha coal mined at raise equal to three cents, and selling it at prices which would warrant the payment of six cents per bushel for mining.
In the Wood's Run District both oper-

Secretary Flannery, in estimating the

ators and miners are working vigorousiand exercising their persuasive faculties to the fullest extent. A meeting of strikers will be held at Catsburg to-day, and will be addressed by President Costello and others.

The Palmer Trial in Cincinnati. CINCINNAȚI, O., March 28 .- Much of the same feeling which prevailed just Treasury officials think of it. By the outbefore the Court-house riot, was manifested yesterday, when Palmer, the partner of Berner in the murder of Kirk, was for a second time put on trial for his life. The scene was the jail yard where, in a frame building temporarily erected, Judge Robertson is holding court. An attempt of many days' duration to

secure a jury had just been crowned with success. The prosecution had made a short but eloquent recital of some of the sallent points of the crime, while a very rough-looking crowd of spectators stood outside the bar, listening with buted breath to the proceedings. Palmer's attorney whispered to the jury that his cli-ent pleaded "not gullty," and then turn-ing to the crowd asked that the jury might be taken to view the scene of the crime and the place where the body was

ound.
When Palmer was led out it was expected he would get into the omnibus in waiting for the jurors, but instead he turned suddenly and was lead to jail, the dense crowd of spectators rushing out of the court-room after him. There was intense excitement in the vicinity accompanied by determined words and emphatic gesticulation. It was apparent that he was much safer lustde the sail than out.

The Central American Complications. NEW YORK, March 28 .- Mr. A. M. Soteldo. Venezuelean Minister to the United States, was questioned by a reporter yesterday about the Central American troubles. He said the people of the five republics were willing to unite under one executive head, but they desired to have such confederation to take place peaceably and not by force of arms. They do not wish their ruler forced upon them. He did not think, however, that Barrios possesses the qualities of a successful

military conqueror.

Mr. Soteldo ridiculed Rear-Admiral
Jonett's idea that France is supporting Barrios, and that the workmen on the Panama Canal are likely, when a sultable time comes, to suddenly develop into French soldiers. On the contrary, he journed at 12:40 p. m., they failed to says these workmen are such a mongret of all the Europeans on the Isthmus to keep them in order, to say nothing of their being formed into an effective trmy.

Locking to America for Bottoms. PITTSBURGH, PA., March 28 .- Some weeks ago the British Government instructed Minister West to examine and eport what facilities there were for building war vessels in this city of five hundred tons burden for use on the River Nile, somewhat similar in model to the steamers in use on the Upper Missouri. At the time it was stated that Messra. D. W. Carroll & Co., of this city, would bid for the work of constructing some of the vessels. A call a their office vesterday elicited the state ment that the matter had been merely mooted, but that no steps had been taken by the British Embassy to award the cou lisher of Colman's Rural World. He was tract to firms in this city. Matters born in New York State and is about might be said to be in statu quo, and it is not known what the British agents are doing.

Riel's Precaution.

OTTAWA, ONT., March 28.-The Government has received word that Riel has resigned the command of the insurgents in the Northwest, and has put up one of his followers as a figurehead 🐞 save his own neck. The Government is becoming nore alarmed, and active preparations are maturing to throw a large force in the field at once if required. Colonel fryln was within ten miles of Carlton last aight with his 100 mounted police. Important news is expected hourly.

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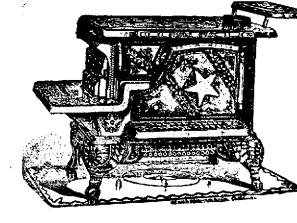
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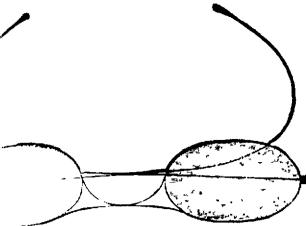
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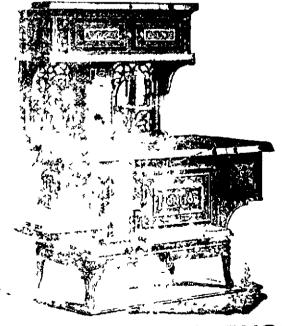
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LOCAL NEWS.

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for the festive oyster, then we'll all take

THE sad refrain from the east to the

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And in anguish he cries, as he numbers the

LEAVE your orders for reliable family

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Your troublesome cough will surely yield to Burks White Pine Baleam.

THE annual election of officers of the

Sars of tools for brass repousse work

at Morehouse, Wells & Co's. mar24 dtf

mportance of holding county fairs

prisoners in the Urbana jail.

Oysters served in any style.

In Long Creek township yesterday the

supervisor, J Albert for clerk, J A Coch-

ran for assessor, Wm M. Davis for col

I mave met received a large invoice of

lemons and oranges, which I will sell at the following low prices Lemons, at 150

In color the bays predominate, in both pacers and trotters, chestnuts taking sec

ond place, while with the pacers grays and oil colors are more numerous in pro

CLASSES in Elecution are now forming

JUSTICE CORLEY yesterday held Ed.

Garrison on the charge of adultery, to

wait the action of the grand jury, and in

default of \$300 bail, he went to jail. Nel-lie Button, on the same charge, gave \$25 buil and was released.

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THE Wabsh strikers in Fort Wayne

pave determined to hold out until the

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per month for each employe, has been

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day night, April 10th.

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SATURDAY EVE., MAROH 28, 1885

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Durbin, the husband 80 years of age and the wife 21, are prisoners in the county jail, and they stand charged with the willful murder of their seven-months-old baby, a healthy looking, plump, red-haired little girl. They are supposed to have thrown it off the Illinois Central railroad bridge on Saturday evening, March 7th, in hope that it would be carried down the then turbulent stream to some point far away, where, if found, no one could fasten the crime upon the inhuman parents. But "mur-Divis deamatic' show every night next der will out," and now 20 days after the cowardly orime, the guilty pair are REVIVAL services to-night at the Church behind the bars. During yesterday afternoon Ed Drohn, Frank Moyer, and 'I'm Collins were in the vicinity of the water THE Wabash employes were paid off works dom at the Bangamon river on gaged in searching for fishing rods. They Parus will be in demand to morrow were on the south side of the river near an old slough 200 yards from the dam, Excellent canned goods and oysters when they discovered the mud covered body of the baby as it lav in a bent up The Endowment rank of the Knights position in a little hollow or ditch. That of Pythias order, will meet this evening part of the slough was covered with Sunn cure Blue Monday at Niederwater three days ago. The young men were greatly excited at finding the body. Don'r forget, the Republican primary and word was sent to Coroner Perl by meetings will be held next Wednesday telephone from the water works. The cor oner proceeded to the spot, and brought THE infant child of Charles Price, colthe body to his office. The officers had ored, died in this city last night. Mr. knowledge of the mysterious disappear ance of a baby on the evening of March 7th, which fact was communicated to I REFERDAY Joe Stockton sold a spankthem by Mr. S C Shively, a carpenters og pair of mules to a Mattoon man at a who resides on West North street Mrs. Shively remembered the clothing the NEXT week being "Holy Week," there child had on when it left her home, that will be services at the English Lutheran it had on a white dress, knit hood, knit shoes and stockings, and that one of its THE city scrapers are on the streets levskirts had been put on wrong side out eling the broken ground, and making the These articles she carefully described before seeing the child and the exami HENRY CHANGRAU IN "Kit," which hes nation subsequently proved the chile

A COWARDLY CRIME.

Charles Durbin and Wife in Jail

for the Murder of Their

Ohild.

Particulars of the Affair-Verdict

beyond a doubt to be that of Emily Dunn, born out of wedlock in Augus last on West Wood street It was known that on March 16th, the mother married Charley Durbin, the father of the child' and the officers at once proceeded to place Cipt. Hewes and Officer Buley went to Shiveley's house and took Durbin and grand jury his wife in oustody. They were taken to

the county jail separately, and put be hind the bacs. When told that the baby had been found, the officers say Durbin seemed greatly frightened, and acted like guilty wretch. The mother refused to

groceries, fruits, good butter, eggs and The evidence at the inquest given be low tells the sickening story of the crime Charles Durbin and Emily Dunn were children together in Feyette county They became intimate, and to hide her shame, Emily came to Decatur, Y M. C A occurs next Thursday even-ing Every member should be present. March 21st, 1884 She remained at a place north of the city until she could no longer hide her condition, and then she went to Bill Johnson's residence in What will the county board do with August, where the child was born. On the fair grounds. The land is not likely March 4th, Charley Durbin came to De catur and on the 7th the child disappear to disappear, but how about the buildlugs? They ought to be put on ice, or ed On March 13, John T. Dunn, brother nesmerized for preservation until such of Emily, came to the city, intending to ame as the people will wake up to the kill Durbin, but by advice of Shively, it vas arranged that Durbin should marry the wronged woman, which he d d on the Telei Hong Montgomery's North Water street grocery store, and you can have 16th, since which time until their arrest the couple have lived with the Shively's

DECATUR coal on deck at Geo. W Ehr-THE INCUEST woth K W Anderson, Thus B Albert R C Last night Detective Rittenhouse was Sollars, G. M. Bower and Polix Carver to serv called to Urbana to testify before the as a jury of investigation and last even ug
Champaign grand jury He has several the inquest on the body of the intant was hold at the office of the Coroner, while a large crowd of curious people stood about in the If you are going to have your room papered call on A. L. Brockway, and if you want upholstering done call on G. P. Hart Feb 19-d2m outer room and peered through the glass panels of the plosed do r, elbowing cach other e look at the form of the infant as it lay ex posed upon a long board before the jury. The crowd became noisy, and the Coroner, in order to put a stop to it, hung up a piece of brown CITIZENS and farmers go to Crosthwest Bros, restaurant, 111 Water street, when paper over the door to obscure the view of the they want the best dinners for 25 cents growd Many then left the room and the lury rocceded with the investigation E P Val state a attorney, and several officers were Bunks White Pine Balsam is an intal ible remedy for a "Raw Sore Throat"

The first witness to testily was Mrs Mary Shively, wife of S C Shively Mrs bhively was sworn and identified the baby She tast Republicans nominated S C Davis for last on March 7th when Emily Dunn tock it lector, A Phillips for commissioner, Wm away from Shively s, at which time it was in Davie and Daniel Immel for justices, Jacob Albert and S B Deahl for congood health. The mother had lived with the Shive y s since January 26th and previous to that thue when the babe was two weeks old she left on the evening of March "the at about C B. PRESCOTT wants every body to six o clock, and returned at 10 30 Charles Dur give him a call when in quest of fine inbin coming with her as fur as the door, when struments He offers desirable barhe left her. She said she had given the baby to a man named Johnson, of Grocuville and gains in Haines Bros pianos and Packwas sobbing when she came back. She repeated the same story next morning and sal it was Burbin who was with her He was in the habit of coming to see her and had been thore three tim s that week, but on the even per dozen, and oranges from 10s to 40c per dozen, O O Messina, at 10c per doz, Valencia oranges, at 25c per dozen, choice sweet Floridas, at from 80c to 40c with him They were married a week ago Monday and after the marriage she said Dur bin was the father of the child. She said they per dozen Will sell at these prices for a few days only Peter Ullrion, mar27-dtf 144 E Main street. ing the baby the night she left she exclaimed. There I have put its skirt on wrong sile A sporting paper states that there are 1,915 trotting horses in the United States with records of 2.30 or better, and 380

out! I can identify the clothing most post tively When Emily returned on the evening of the 7th she said she gave Durbin the child at the depot and he gave it to the Johnsons She did not see them at all Before returning to our house, said they went to the opera house Emily never said anything about writing to the Johnsons to learn about the baby The mother is all years old has red hair and came to Decatur from Shobonier, south of Vandalla When Emily left house with baby she took two lit le white dresses and three squares, alse some baby coats of my own. She brought back the conts that night but the dresses and squares are missing

Mrs Cain Adams and Mrs Susan Stephen dentified the body positively as that of Emily bunn bad come to her home in August last efore the child was born, accompanied by her sister They wanted to get a room They got one at Bill Johnson s, where two week later the child was born

Solomon C. Shively was sworn and gave his residence at 628 West North street He recog zed the baby as the child of Emily Dunn, an has known it since it was two weeks old. He saw it silve last at about 60'clock on the evening of March 7th, when it was apparently in good health. It was at my house and its mothr was dressing it to take it out She left bout dark and came back about 10 o clock without the child A man accompanied her to he door, but I did not see him Did not know Durbin at that time The woman had made several attempts to give the child away before that night Never saw the child again until to-day, and can identify it by the hair nose he hood and clothing and also by the hands She first came to my house in August when THE Spring Style of celebrated Dunlap the child was two weeks old It was Saturday Hat at H. F. Ehrman & Co.'s. evening when she took the child away. Saw evening when she took the child away. Saw Durbin on the next Monday and asked him Sund your name, age, color of hair and eyes to the science fortune teller. He will describe your future companion and give initials of name, also date of marriage Enclose 10 cents. Address John Russell, Mattoon, Ill. 10 d&w4w* about the river, and he made strange answers

J. M. BLYTHE, Post COMMANDER.

J. W. RRAVIS, Adjutant.

BURT & MEARS' Gent's Hand Sewed Shoes at L. L. Ferriss & Co. Everybody at all conversant with the facts knows that it must be so—it is the facts and said they were open. Since his marriage he has worked for me and we have had severa conversations about the child He confesser DUNGAR HATS just received for Spring.

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He said he had given the child to parties in Greenville, Bond county, Ill. I disputed tha and told him it was "too thin," and he ther said the child was in Decatur, but he would not tell me where. He seemed to fear trouble from her people. He said he told his wife about giving the child away at the depot he cause he did not want her to know where he was Mr. Shively testified further that Emily had made attempts previous to March 7th to

A DESPERATE MOTHER

Repeated Attempts to Commit builded

To-Day.

Mrs John J. Ballentine, aged about 45

years, of slight build, mother of Grant Ballentine, who was placed in jail yester-

day afternoon for disorderly conduct, at

tempted to take her life this forenoon, by

hooting, at her home in the Gaebler

property, on South Franklin street, but

was frustrated in the attempt by Officer

Hartley and Constable Weitsel, who had

followed her Mrs Ballentine felt keenly

the diagrace of the arrest of her son, and

in company with Hartley she went to the

all this morning to have a talk with him

The son received her unkindly, and told

her to go home and attend to her own

business. The distressed mother then

told her boy that he would never see her

alive again, that in two hours she would

commit suicide by taking poison. She

left, and went to Rebecca J Carpenter to

get some money, and then she went to

Dr Stoner's drug store, to get poison

Officer Hartley watched her, and came in

just in time to prevent the purchase

Mrs Ballentine was very angry, and told

the officer that she would go home and

shoot herself. The officer and Weitsel

followed her, but when they got to the

house both doors were locked Mrs B

appeared at the window, with a revolver

in hand, and told the officers to go away

They refused, and then the woman, with

her two little girls in the room crying,

went down into the cellar, declaring that

she would shoot herself. One of the

children opened the door, and Hartley

got into the cellar in time to prevent the

self murder. The revolver was captured

by Hartley Soon afterward Mrs Ballen

pot alone. A man was sent to watch her

and prevent the woman from buying por

son or doing violence to herself. The lady needs the cool counsel of some friend

Out for City Clerk

Mr David L Foster, an excellent pen

man and accountant, is announced to day

as a candidate for city clerk at the com

ing municipal election Mr Foster has

been connected with the circuit clerks

office during the past three years, and in

every respect possesses the necessary numbifications for a first class clerk. He is

well known by the people of the commu-

nity, and if elected will fill the office with

JAMES WINDLE, of 1071 North Church

street, was arrested and juled last night

by Officer Hartley, charged with whip

ping his wife. Mrs. W says Jim has been

troublesome for a long time. He kicks

up a row on the slighest provocation, and

dumps the county grub out of doors.

while he lives high at the free lunch

To DAY Marshal Mason arrested Doc

Abbott for adultery with Mrs Wallace

who has seven children. Doe married

the woman and the prosecution was

RLY WARRINGTON will lecture on tem

DON'T fail to bear Ambrose on the

'Sham Family' to night 'His lecture

sparkles with good points, and is a per

feet stream of wit, wisdom, sarcasm and

solid chunks of truth It lifts and bears

The funeral of John Richardson will

take place Sunday 3 p m from the

residence of F L Wood on South Main

street, Rev Coultas officiating The G

In the pursuit of the good things of

of Dr. Jones' Red Clover Tonic for exceed

Y M U A Anniversary

The eighth anniversary of the Young

Men's Christian Association of this city

will be observed with appropriate exer-

cases on to morrow (Sabbata) evening, in

the Inbernacie Short addresses will be

delivered by State Secretary I E Brown,

Reva Coultas and Newcomer, upon the

various features of the work. All the

churches will unite in the exercises, and

everybody cordially invited Exercises

THE Peace Sisters, of this city, will

give an entertainment at the tabernach on the evening of the Sist inst, on which

occasion they will be assisted by Mrs M. L. Cam and Missis Misster, McDame'

tunk and Lehman, and Master Cost

Cam, and a rich programme will be presented Prof Nilson's Juvenile or chestra is also broked for the evening,

and a rare Literary and musical treatawaits all who will avail the meetics of it

On Friday ev ning, March 27th, Mr

and Mrs Aaron Bricker, of Argenta, gave

a reception party in due respect of their

son, Lou, who was married the day pre-

vious. Their large mapsion was crowde

with relatives and most intimate friends

At about 8 o clock all partock of the fes

tivities prepare I for the occasion At 12

o'clock all took their departure, feeling

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torward. '-N W Christian Advocate

perance at the tabernacle Sunday after

dropped Justice Corley officiated.

uoon at 3-30 o clock

credit to himself and the city

dispose of the child She had made partial arrangements to give it away to some people but I objected She appeared to have a natu ral affection for the child, except that she day Learned that the ice was broken in the Burbin came to Decatur from Vandalia or March 4th, and s opped at Charles Blooming or a home on South Broadway.

The jury sent for the parents of the dead separately Mrs Durbin was in great distress of mind, and would a ot testify, neither would the say anything, though State s Attorney Vait used to open her lips, and all she said was I may as well die, if Charley has to g >"

Charley Durbin, the father of the child, told a singular story of the disappearance of the and was the husban lof Emily Dunn, to whom he was married on March 18th, by Justice Mc-Gorray He stated that on the evening of March 7th he and Emily and the baby were at the depot when the Central train went south going to California He had a talk with Smith and to him he entrusted the care of the child as he wanted one to raise. The witness and Adams Humpty Dumpty dimeshow returning to the Shively residence after the performance On the 7th Mr. Bloominger and myself took: walk down the Central road and saw the river out of its banks with the chunks of broken ice floating down stream. Have not hear from the child since I gave it to Smith I came from Vandalla Cannot identity body of infant as my child

THE VERDICT. The inquest was resumed this morning

Charles Biogminger, brick molder, living a Durbin 15 years Came to my house about March & he went to Latham on the 5th and came back on the 6th. Durbin and witness sisted the river. Durbin was not at my house n the night of the 7th J E Hobson, residing on Fast Main street

said Emity Dunn had made arrangements at one time to give him the child to raise HELD WITHOUT BAIL

signed the following verdict

In the matter of the Inquisition on the body of the inint child, deceased, held at Docaum, Ill, on the 27th and 28th of March, 1885, we the undersigned jurors, sworn to inquire of the d att of the inint thild is diughter of Emily Dunn) on anth do find that she came to her death by being struck on the head and face with some blind flustrament, and then thrown into the bangamon river and we believe that the onlid was thus kined by Charles G Durbin and Emily Dunn (now Durbin). And we the jury intrier recommend that the said Charles G Durbin and Emily Dunn (now Durbin) be held without bail to await the action of the grand jury.

C Cherowskit, Foroman, signed the following verdict

to await the action of the C. Chenowell, Foleman, T. B. Aldere, R. G. Sollars, F. M. Ganver, G. M. Bower, E. W. Anderson

The baby lay in its little coffin at the roner's office until noon. It was buried

in Greenwood cemetery.

Dr Chenoweth and Dr. Harsha made a post mortem examination of the body last night | They found no fracture The head and face appeared bruised. There was a great crowd of people about the Perl establishment to-day,

curious to see the body of the baby The investigation of this case will giv State's Attorney Vail considerable work It will be a sensational trial, with a chance of hanging Durbin, or send both o the penitentiary for life

PERSONAL MENTION

Hon Jason Rogers is John A Songer came up from Spring

Supt E A Gastman will arrive home from New Orleans to morrow night. Lou Hart, of the Wabash, made a trip to Springheld last evening on his engine

Will Carter sustained a sprain of his left leg yesterday morning by being thrown out of a wagen. Chas F Hummell went to Lincoln this

this world we anticipate too much, we eat out the heart and sweetness of worldly pleasure by delightful forethought of them. The result obtained from the use W. W. Eden, of Sullivan, has leased all claims. It cures dyspersus, and all atomach, liver, kid ey and bladder from bles. It is a perfect tonic, appenizer, blood purifier, a sure cure for ague and malarial diseases. Price 50 cents of Dr. A. J. Sto. will conduct it in the future. M Einstein left for Chicago last night

to purchase new millinery goods and nov elties for the emporium of fashion in Masonic block He will return Monday Dr Vosburgh goes to Springfield this afternoon where he will preach to mor row in excusing with Rev. A. H. Ball who will occupy the Baptist pulpit in his city to morrow Rev Ball is a man

J C Hostetler, A T Summers, Dr fied that it was Emily Dunn's baby and that Walston and son, Mr and Mrs D H she had known it since her bitth, She saw it Hellman, Mrs R E Pratt, Mr and Mrs P Loeb, of this city, Stephen Mahannah and A O Tranghber, of Mt Zion, arrived home from New Orleans this morning Dr Brils and wife, Wm Schroll and Wm I caver will come home next week

of real pulpit power Hear him

THE BODY FOUND

The Stoll b ck Mystery Cleared Up a

Yesterday afternoon at to cock news clear ing up the mystery surroun ing the singular Happearance of Philip Steinbeck the aged Decatur It was on Saturday, March 7th, that Steinbeck was tast seen in Decatur and since that day, though diligent search was made for him deal or alive, no trace could be learned from any source Yesterday 2¼ miles south east of Hitopolis Steinbeck was found hanging rom a limb of a tree He had committed sui cide and had been dead four or five days Though a stranger in that locality Steinbee had been seen about liliopolis six days ago when he called at the office of Dr Cowgili and procured some medicine When cut down b had \$4 0 on his person. He had about \$66 when he was in Decatur last. Why he should are gone westward instead of returning t his faim and family near Macon is a myster; the body was interred near Illiopolis after the Singamon county coroner held an inquest This morning Wm Matzner and Wm Schlinkman went to liliopoits, where the found the body, and identified it as that of Steinback Albert Gray a hunter for ducks, found the body hanging to a tree near River side Cemetery, and to him was paid the \$50 re ward sent out on postal cards by Marshal Ma son The other expanses, \$49 95, for the in quest digging prave &c, were paid and the body was brought to Decatur at noon It will oo taken to the Steinbeck farm this afternoon It will be buried near Macon

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Is reports are true, nearly every town and village in the county has a postoffice fight to wrestle with The Democrate are hungry to get there Eli

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Didn't seem to know there was a river near Comrade John Richardson. here He spoke of the Okaw and other rivers J. M. BLYTHE, Post COMMANDER.

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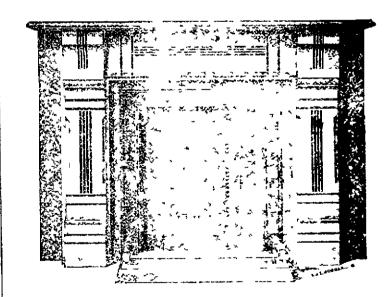
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500 Men . Suda at 14, worth \$10. 377 Men's Suite at \$4.75, worth \$12 500 Mea's Fine All Weel Cassimers Suite at \$4.50, not one among this line worth less than \$16.00 Roys' Smits at \$2.50, \$2.75, \$3.00, \$3.25 and \$8.50. Children's Scale at \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75 and \$2.00. 1,000 pairs o Panta at \$1 (8) a pour

FURNISHING GOODS!

Overalls and Waista 25 cents each Good Heavy Working Shirts 25 cents each. White Land Irre I Shorts 50 cents each. Special line of Hateat 35 seats, 50 capte, To cents and \$1.00.

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MARCH 7. PLACE: C. A. CARTER'S BLOCK,

WEST SIDE OLD SQUARE, -

The Daily Zepublican.

Hamsher & Mosseb, - Publishers,

The Robellion in the Northwest Territory.
Winnipeo, Man., March 27.-Dispatches from the West show that numerous companies are being organized for defense at all points along the line of railway. The whole country is in an uproar. Farmers are dilling for service The rebel army has been augmented by large additions of Indians. All the Indian bands are becoming uncasy, and a general aprising is expected.

oner trwin and the detachment of mounted police who started for Fort Carlton three days ago, have changed the line of the fir route, as reports are sout in that Riel and the insurgents were type in the control of the and the insurgents were tying in amoust to intercept him at Batiche, where the trul crosses the Saskatchewan. He crossed the river seventy-five miles below and takes a westerly course to the North Saskatchewan, which he will cross, and after making a detour, he hopes to all the saskatchewan. detour, he hopes to clude Riel and effeet a junction with Major Crozier and his garrison at Fort Carlton. With the police concentrated some resistance could be offered the rebils should an attack be made on the fort. The rebel army must number over 1,000. All are well

The Saskatchewan River farther south is now open, torrents of rain have fallen within the last twenty-four hours and the troops which left here yesterday are in the Government barracks at Fort Quepelle to awalt the arrival of General Muldleton and the balance of the troops. A special train is kept at Quepelle to convey the tinops to Regina or any other oint on the line should the Indians rise. Plapot is expected to make an attack on

Pupot is expected to make an actice the Region Barracks.

Secret but perfectly reliable nows has just been received from Ottawa to the effect that the Dominion Government has ordered A and B Batteries of regulars, leaves cated respectively at Quebec and Kingston, to the Northwest. They will leave at once, and in order to avoid international complications, will not come through the United States, but will come over the Canadian Facilite and around the north shore of Luke Superior. The line is all ironed but about forty miles on the Nipegon section The company is making special arrange-ments for transportation over this seetion, and an effort will be made to see now quickly troops can be brought to the t. A special totto will be run Thunder Bay branch and Nipegon section Four hundred men in ill will come from Lastern Cauada to take part in the campuga.

Captured Near His Cave. PATER-ON, N. J., March 27 .- Con-

stable Post, of Paterson, led through the streets a wild-eyed and long-haired man, clad in a blanket composed of muskrat and squirrel skins Wednesday night. His hands were manacled, but he grasped to the rage in Now York. Some producers his breast an old-fishioned gun, which scour them with supplie before bringing the guarded zealously. He was Andrew them to fastidious customers. Riker, for warm the police have been searching for nearly two years. Prior to that time Riker was known as an outlaw, and the robbery of several rural Post-offices and other offenses were laid at his door. In April, 1883, the Grand July indicted him for an assault upon his nicce, Jennic Riker, a simple-minded girl of liften or there-abouts. Riker heard of the action of the Grand Jury and disappeared. All efforts to locate him proved fruitless.
Wednesday afternoon while Constable Post was serrching through the Freak-ness Mountains he tripped and fell Unon investigating, he ascertained that he had stumbled over a section of stove pipe

had stumbed over a section of stove pipe which protrudes apparently through the solid earth. After farther investigation he discovered a comfortable cive dug out by hand and overtopped by turf. Within were all kinds of skins and furs, stove, cooking utensils and a rudely made couch. The cave was tenantless, but Riker was foundment a small lake close by Riker at near a small lake close by Riker at tempted to shoot Post, but he was soon disarmed and manacled. He is undoubtedly insune, and the two years' substraince on the mountain have left

han a verifiable wild man. A growd visited the jall yesterday to gaze upon the will man of the Preakness WHEREING, W. VA., March 27 .- The

condition of affairs in the foodless counties of the interior is growing desperate The frozen streams and hard roads render it almost impossible to afford aid with any speed. The people of the State are parnestly at work and will render about dant relief as soon as the destitute can the reached. In many fustances the whole bill of fare for three months has only been parched corn and sorghum molasses. The Parkersburg papers recite instances of terrible suffering and sickness, and state that a triveler counted in one day's jourthirty head of dead cattle, a mor thity that is frightful for the number owned. Kanawha, Ritchie, Pleasants, Witt, Nicholas, and Braxton County Courts have all met in special session to provide means of rollef.

DATION, O , March 27 .- A fire occurred ket night at Harris Station, five miles cast of this city, where the oil mill, elevator and a number of other buildings. of the Ohio Linseed Oil Company were destroyed. The fire originated in the oil mill from an explosion, and spread rapidly to the adjoining buildings. The four-story brick mill contained a large amount of costly machinery, 800 barrels of lineed oil, and 40,000 bushels of flux scod. The elevator adjoining contained 80,000 bushels of Bax-seed and a grist mill. An ice-house and a two-story brick dwelling are also in ruins. The loss is variously estimated at from \$75,000 to \$120,000, partly cov-

Will They Fig the Teicolorf MONTREAL, CAN., March 27.→Mr. J. X. Perroult, who has just returned from Parls, reports that he obtained from the French Government a subsidy of \$50,000 per annum for a line of steamers between Montreal and Havre, with the stipulation, ho vever, that one-half of the steamers are to ily the French flag. The Dominion Hovernment has also granted a subsidy of \$50,000. Some doubt exists whether the company (an English one) will accept terms which compel them to fly the tricolor on one-half their fleet.

Sentenced to Death.

Nashville, Tenn., March 27 .- At Hopkinsville, Ry., yesterday, Jordan Taylor, colored, who murdered Sallie Sanders, was sentenced to death. How He Got a Position. "I applied for a position in a banking house in Wall street six months ago, and

although I proved my competency they would not take me. I had been down on my luck and looked old and shabby. An idea struck me. I got up a new growth of hair with Parker's Hair Balanm, raised s decent suit of clothes, applied again, and they took me is a minute." He writes a cierk with \$2,000 salary. The moral is plain. Parker's Hair Balsam gives a person a new face. marl-deodawlm Now is the time for a cheap suit or an overcoat at Oheap Charley's, way below par, 7-dawtf

Notice. All parties desiring to go West to any point a Kansas and Nebraska, or Iowa, Minnesota and Dakota, New Mexico or California, or Ari-S BLOCK,

zona should not fall to call at the Wabash lieket office, or on Thos. Bivans, Excursion Agent, over post office, Decatur, III. Excursions March 24 and 31, and April 7, 14, 21 and 23, Heelining chairs from here to Kansas City or Council Bluxs; direct routes and no night changes.

Reform Association, of Baltimore, against Eugene Higgins, nominated for chief of the Appointment Division of the United States Treasury Department, are that, in 1875, he violated ballot-boxes sustituting for tickets those of the opposite party; he played bulldozer in the Clarksville district, of Maryland, terrorizing quiet citizens and voting hundreds of non-residents; and that he is a lobbyist and interested in a gambling house.

THE charges of the Civil Service Republican Township Convention. The Republicans of the several districts of Decatur Township are Decatur Township are requested to send dele-gates to a township convention to be held at the court house, on Friday, April 3d, at 7 O'clock, P. M. for the purpose of nominating candidates to be voted for at the ensuing township election. The basis of representation will be one dele-gate for each 25 votes or fraction above 18, as cast for Blaine in the November election, making the representation as follows First District, 17 Delegates.
Second 17 Third 14 Fronth 13 "
Frinth 13 "
Fifth 9 "

I have been a sufferer two years from catarrh or cold in the head, having dis-Wednesday, April 1st, at 7:30 O'clock, at the following places, to-wit : tressing pain over my eyes. Gradually the disease worked down upon my lungs, First District—Neptune Hose House.
Second "—Cauncil Hooms.
Taird "—Third Ward Hose House.
Fourth "—heriff's Office.
Fitth "—Eldorado Hose House. The voters of the first District are requested to select a permanent Charman tor said District as a member of the County Central Committee.

W. C. Johns, 1st District.
JUHN A. BARNES, 2d District.
JOHN ULL ICH, 3d District
HANRY MCCLALLAM, 4th District.
JOHN A. BROWN, 5th District. tive cure—John H. Vansent, Sandy Hook, Elliott on, Ky. 15-deod&w2w ANNOUNCEMENTS.

the question the scientists are asking now and to which they are seeking an answer. The opinion of Mr. Thurman of Ohio is in the affirmative. He is not a professional astronomer, but he has noticed some thing wrong with the earth since March 4.

"Is the earth's axis shifting?" is

News About Town.

It is the current report about town that Kemp's Balsam for the Thront and Lungs is making some remarkable cures with people who are troubled with Coughs, Dr A J. Stoner, dauggist, No. 14 south side new square, will give any person a trial bottle free of cost. It is guaranteed to relieve and cure. Price 50 cents and

New 1 k priseys are beautifully beaded with jet in various designs, and somegarment. -Richard Critchett, of Barrington, N if, who is now in his ninety-sixth year, with posterily straight, and has never ex-

perienced a day's rickness. Who of us are without our troubles, be they small or large? The blessings of mealth are best appreciated when we are larged in rank A better county. Who of us are without our troubles, be nealth are best appreciated when we are sick and in pain. A backing cough, a severe cold or any throat or lung diseases are very troublesome; but all these may be quickly and permanently cured by Dr.

Bigelow's Positive Cure. Safe and pleasant for children. Price 50 cents. Trial size free. Dr. A. J. Stoner. - "White shelled" eggs are becoming

-A perfect skeleton, to which was attached a ball and chain, was lately un earthed twenty-five feet below the surface of the earth, near Savannah.

Have used Tongsline in many cases of rheumatism with marked success; the most important one was that of a patient aged lifty-one, who has been a sufferer from that disease for forty years. In one of his severe attacks I prescribed Tongaline, and upon the fifth day he was able to be out, and also to attend to his business. Have given Tongaline a fair and impartial trial, and think it the best remedy I have ever found for the umatism B F. Davis, M D., Sturgeon, Mo.

- Lace bonnets will be much worn as soon as the weather will permit their -A new violet blue, shading to purple

is a new shade called Yeux Dagmar. "Immediate Relief."

To be rebeeved at all, of such an about inable pest as neu aigns, is gratifying,but imagine the great delight of Mr. J. George Ru ff, of No 47, hank street,Newatk, New Jersey, who writes, after suffering eight years with neuralgia in the head: "I have used one bottle of Brown's Iron Bitters, which gave me immediate oliof, and I am regaining my besith dai ly." No wonder he adds, "I obserfully recommend it to ali." All similar ills are cured by it.

-Silk gloves for evening wear are now embroidered in soft colors on the back.

SPARKLING eyes, blooming cheeks and a light and buoyant step, are the outward signs of health and strength. Invalids suffering from kidney or liver trouble, or dyspepsia, can speedily be brought to me enviable state by the use of Mishler' Herb Bitters. George Keiley, of Jersey City, whose health had been shattered by severe case of gravel, was speedily cure and restored to health and strength by he use of this great medicine.

-The wild bushiness of the frizzled bang is abated until now it is reduced to a modest waved fringe on the forehead.

Thu best on earth, can truly be said of Gragge Glycerine Salve, which is a sure, are and speedy cure for cuts, bruises Will positively cure piles, tetter and al kin eruptions. Try this wonder healer Satisfaction guaranteed or money refund ed. Only 25 cents. Sold by Dr. A. J

New Goods and Latest Styles. I am now receiving my spring styles o passimeres, cloths, etc., and am prepared to furnish not only the best goods, Ameria or imported, but the nestest and mos stylish fit in the city. I have a well se for recommendations.

JAMES VEALE, ected stock and refer to my many patrons

French Cutter from Cork, feb. 28-d&w2m. Ullrich's Biock.

WHEN you go to Kansas City or any town in Kansas, take the Peoris, Decatur & Evansville Line. Reclining Chair cars free from Delevan or Peoris. No change to make at night. For full particulars call on or write to H W Shimer, agent Excursions to Kansas, Iowa, Nebraska, Minnesota, Dakota and Montana, via this line. March 24, 81, April 7, 14, 21, 28. 19-daw to April 28

Ann you going to build? If so, n natier how small your house, a mantel o two, with a nice hearth to suit, is an in expensive luxury, not only aiding largel in ornamenting your rooms, but is an economical method of heating, and insures perfect ventilation. We would be pleased to show you our stock.
MOBEROUSE, WELLS & Co.

Mr. Olive Coal makes no clinkers either in stoves or open grates.

Mt Olive Coal is very free from slate

and sulphur. Mt. Olive Coal costs no more than the inferior grades offered in this market.

Mt. Olive Coal—either lump or nut—is sold only by

R. McClelland, Dec. 15-dif Telephone 21. SEE the Switchman's Hand-made shoe

all calf, solid as leather can make, at Powers & Haworth's. Pana Coal takes the lead; there is no etter in the market; sold only by j28-d* F. D. CALDWELL.

GENTS' fine Smoking Jackets, to be had only at B. Stine's. Go to Dr. Thomas S. Hoskins to get your dental work done. Cor. Main and Water streets, Decatur, Ill. 21dff

TER Patent Ear Muffler at B Stine's

CIRCUIT JUDGE.

TOWNSHIP ELECTION.

WE are authorized to announce L.O. EYMAN as a c.ndidate for Justice of the Peace, subject to the decision of the Republican convention

Wg are sufficiled to announce J. Q. A pron as a caudidate for Justice of the Peace

WE are authorized to aunounce Thomas B.

At same as a candidate for re-election to the office of Justice of the Peace.

WE are authorized to announce B. McGor-RAY as a candidate for Justice of the Peace, subject to the action of the Republican con-

At the earnest solicitation of numerous friends, irrespective of party, I have consented to become a candidate for the office of Assesser at the ensuing election. If elected promise to discharge the duties of the office with fidelity and impartiality.

W. S. Nichols.

WE are authorized to announce WILLIAM R. SHORE as a candidate for concetor, subject to the decision of the Republican convention.

Where authorized to announce D.C. Counky as a candidate for Town Clerk, subject to the action of the Republican convention.

We are authorized to announce B. McGornay as a randidate for Town Clerk, subject to the action of the Republican convention.

WE are authorized to announce JOHN R WILLIAMS as a candidate for Town Clerk at the ensuing elegation, subject to the action of the Hopubican convention.

WE are authorized to announce SAMUE WELTSLL as a candidate for Constable, subject to the action of the Republican convenient.

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WE are authorized to announce Z. W. HAR-BIS as a candidate for Constable, subject to the action of the Republican convention.

We are authorized to aunounce John Mo-Whinner as a candidate for Constable, sub-lect to the action of the Republican conven-

WE are authorized to announce Henry Churk man as a candidate for re-election to the office of Constable at the spring election.

WE are authorized to announce Holam E.
BILLEHUNT as a candidate for Constable, sub-ject to the decision of the Republican to vi-

Wx are autho ized to announce CHARLES M

CALDWELL BE R candidate for Commissioner of Highways, subject to the decision of the ke publican township convention.

WE are authorized to announce THOMAS FIELDS as a candidate for Poundmaster, at the Spring election, subject to the Republican convention.

CITY ELECTION.

we are authorized to announce w. C. Johns as a candidate for city attorney.

Where authorized to announce Henry Mc-Clellan as a candidate for addressen in the fourth ward.

WE are authorized to aunounce CAPT. M. F.

At the carnest request of many friends, irrespective of party, I have consented to the use of my name as a citizen's candidate for the office of Mayor. Andrew Shoemaker.

WE are authorized to announce ISAAC R
MILLS as a cantidate for resiscolor to the
office of City Attorney.

WE are authorized to announce CRARLES M.
DURFLE SE a candidate for re-election as City
Clerk.

WE are authorized to announce ROBERT T. FERGUSON as a candidate for siderman in the

WE are authorized to announce OLE JOHN-808 as a caudidate for Alderman in the Pitth Ward,

TO THE PUBLIC.

Decatur Cosl.

The best coal for grates is the Decatur

lump coal. It burns without clinker.

As a storm coal it has no superior Order direct from the shaft or from Arm

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Tenmaters also hauling for the coal company will also fill orders. 17-dtf

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. L. Ferriss & Co.'s.

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In coming before you and asking

DRUATUR, March 18, '85.

hip convention.

ing spring election.

if h ward.

Bangor has practically enjoyed free rum. There are over 100 places there where liquor is sold, and no attempt has been made to enforce the In accordance with the above call, the Re-publicans of the several districts are requested to meet in District Primary Convention for the purpose of electing delegates, on

law. The law is a nullity. In Lewiston, Bath, Augusta and other cities no difficulty is experienced if one wants to wet his whietle. In the city of Portland, under General Dow's own eyes, the liquor traffic flourishes, and yet at the same time in no other city has the law for the past ten years been more faithfully enforced. To illustrate how hard it is to break up the business in Portland, the Prohibitionists for five years pursued a rumseller in that city. They made him pay fines more than forty times, and then got him in jail But this did not break up his business, for his brother took charge of it, and when, after a protracted seige he was forced to retire, his brother in law took his place, and carries on the business to-day.

Prohibition in Maine.

Portland (Me.) Dispatch.

THE Ohio House has passed bills prohibiting the employment of chil WE are authorized to announce JAMES F. HUGHES, of Mattoon, as a candidate for circuit judge, subject to the decision of the kepubli-can convention. dren under 12 years of age, and pro viding that corporations or others employing women or girls shall procure seats for their use when not en gaged in active duties, and imposing a fine of \$10 to \$25 for each viola tion of the law. WE are authorized to announce J. M. Loway as a candidate for Justice of the Poace, subject to the action of the Republican Conven-YOUNG MENI-READ THIS.

THE VOLTAGO BELT Co., of Marshall, Mich., offer to send their celebrated ELECTRO-VOLTAIC BELT and other ELEC-TRIC APPLIANCES on trial for thirty days, to men (young or old) afflored with ner vous debility, loss of vitality and man hood, and all kindred troubles. Also for We are authorized to announce James THOMAN as a candidate for Justice of the Peace. rheumatism, neuralgia, paralysis, auc many other diseases. Complete restora tion to health, vigor and munhood guar anteed. No risk is incurred, as thirty days trial is allowed. Write them at once for illustrated pamphlet free. dec15-deod&wlyr Firemen's Ball.

Citizens of Decatur, this is to notify you that the second grand annual ball of John M Raymond Lodge No 49 B. of L. F. will be held at the tabernacle Thursday evening, April 9. 885. All those who have purchased tickets will please present them at that date, as they will please present them at that date, as they are good as gold. This is the built that was to have taken place. Feb. 18, but was postponed by reason of the snow blockade and the death of two of our brothers. Come and good people and enjoy yourselves with us, as we are all Decatur people. Supper at the New Deming Music by Opera House Orchestra.

By order of committee.

23-dtd ALEX. H. SUTION, Ch'm'n. By the solicitation of many friends who rendered me such libral support last spring, for which I have no language at my command to express my gratitude, I hereby announce myself as a candidate for re-election to the office of Township Collector at the ensuing April election. I wish to add that thus far in my omeial capacity I have done my utmost to perform the duties of my office courteously, faithfully, and to the satisfaction of all.

We are authorized to approunce William E.

and Excursion to Tennessee. Mississip-

pi, Arkansas and Texas The Illinois Central R. R. will run anoth low rate Land Excursion to points in Tennes see, Mississippi, Arkansas and Texas, leaving Decatur at 5:45 p. m., April 14, 1885. For rates sleeping car berths and general information concerning this excursion apply to the undersigned at Manchester, Lowa. Mr. N. T. Burroughs, of Cherokee, offers for sale 250,000 acres of choice hard wood timber lands at \$25 per acre on liberal terms. Write hum for descriptive circulars and then go and examine J. F. Meiney, Gen. West. Pass. Agt.

WE now have plenty of Canvas and Leather Satchels for roller skates. MOREHOUSE, WELLS & Co. Don't buy an Overcoat before you see

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BUGGIES.

PHÆTONS. **ROAD CARTS.**

REPAIRING

efore the driving season couses on. Satisfaction guaranteed. All work, repairing and new work, at rea-mable prices. 258 and 260 E. Main St.

A. KRAMER.

Chancery Notice. SPATE OF ILLINOIS, 1 88.

We are authorized to announce Ole Johnson as a caudidate for Alderman in the Fitth Ward.

A Business Change.

In retiring from the plumbing and steam and gas fitting business, we take pleasure in recommending to our old customers the new firm of Field & Wilson, our successors, as being therough mechanics in their line, having done the best work in this city during the three years which they spent in our employ, and during which time they have given the best satisfaction to our customers and proved themselves honest gentlemen who will ment your patronage. Thanking all our old customers for their liberal patronage, we remain, yours, truly,

Korsmeyer & O'Neill.

To The Public.

Chancery Notice. In the Circuit Court, May Term, 1885.

Chancery Notice. STATE OF ILLINOIS, | 68

STATE OF ILLINOIS, 685

MAUNE COUNTY, 707

Of the May Term A. D. 1825 of Circuit Court of the County of Macon and State of fillinois. Stephen G Washburn vs. Archeuse C Hobinson and Jennie Robinson—in Chancery Notice is hereby given to the said Archelus C. Robinson and Jennie Robinson that the above named complainant heretofore find his bill of complaint in said court, on the chancery side thereof, and that a summons there apon issued out of said court against the above named defendants, returnable on the first cay of the term of the circuit court of the county of Macon and state of Illinois, to be held at the court house in the city of Decatur in said county on the second Monday of May, A. D. 1885, as is by law required, which said cause is attil pending and undetermined in said court.

Dated March 28, 1885. share of your patronage, we wish to state that we are practical plumbers, gas and steam fitters, having had an experience of 11 years in some of the best plumbing establishments in the East and three years n Decatur. We mean to do nearly all of our work ourselves, and intend to make a reputation for doing good work only, and by strict attention to business hope to ment your confidence. Call and see us at the old stand of Korsmeyer & O'Neill, 2:9 North Main street. We are, respectfully, yours, Figure & Wilson. n said court.
Dated March 28, 1885.
E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.
W. C. Johns, Soi. for Complehent. m28-diw The best coal for cooking stoves is the Decatur double-screened nut. It burns

NEW MEAT MARKET!

Danzeisen & Son HAVE OPENED THEIR

LEAVITT & ROYAL have removed to the building occupied by V. H. Parke. March 10-d&wti

ONE LEGGED.—A nice little assortment of single Boots and Shoes, awful cheap for unfortunates who have but one foot, at No. 16, Merchant St., which has been fitted up with new fixtures and everything put in the most complete order. We will keep constantly on hand all kinds of

Go to Wingate's Lamp Store and buy one of those Steam Washing Machines, it you want to see the dirt roll out of your clothes without a particle of rubbing yt21dtf Fresh and Salt Meats, Beef, Pork, Mutton, Ham, Bacon SMOKE "Harper's Bazar." I. F. PROS Sausage, Lard, Etc.

WE SELL ONLY THE BEST QUAL-ITY OF MEATS. DANZEISEN & SON.

NO POISON For the past six years the city of

> FOR STRENGTH AND TRUE FRUIT FLAVOR THEY STAND ALONE. Price Baking Powder Co., Chicago, III. St. Louis, Mo.

> Dr. Price's Gream Baking Powder Dr. Price's Lupulin Yeast Gems,

Heat Dry Bop Yeast.
FOR SALE BY GROCERS.
WE MAKE BUT ONE QUALITY.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of one execution to me directed and delivered by the Clerk of the County viout of Macon county, lillinols, in favor of Joseph Mills and Winton B Harry, partners, as Mills A Harry, and are not there A. Hot lend I have levied upon the following described property, towir: Lot No live (5) in Hoose No vignicity in Birghts' Addition to the tity of Dictart, also ten (60) shares of The People's sayings and Loan Association of Decatur, linnols mand in certificate No affective World's Savings and Loan Association of Decatur, linnols mand in certificate No affective World's savings and Loan Association of Decatur, blinols, to canbet a Holland taken as property of the safe Charles A. Kolkad which I shall offer at another see at the west door of the court house in Decatur in Macon county, in said state, on the I they of A. Rolland which I shall offer at once though the A. Rolland which I shall offer at on the I they of A. Rolland which I shall offer at one of the Court house in Decatur in Macon county, in said state, on the I they of A. Rolland. A. D. 1885.

Marifedd Sheriff Macon county life.

FMA CHERD'S SATE

MASTER'S SALE. STATE OF LLENOIS,) 68 Macon County,) 68 Macon County Circuit Court.

Burley W. Selwell vs. Rufus Crossman et al Forech sure.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given, that if P pursuance of a decretal order entered in the above entitled cause in said court at the December 7 cm. A. D. 1884, I, John A. Brown Master in Chancery for said Court, on Saturday, the 25th day of April, A. Saturday, the 25th day of April, A. D 1885, at the hour of two oclock p. m. of said day, shall self at public auction to the highest bld-der, for ash, at the west door of the court house, in Decatin, it said county, the following described real estine, situate in the county of Miconard state of Illinois, to-wit: The east half of the southenst quarter of the southenst quarter of the southenst quarter of the southenst county, that is not that of the southwest quarter of the southenst quarter of the southenst quarter of the southenst public two (2) cannot the dail? M., and the south half of the southenst quarter of the southenst which are done in the south half of the southenst quarter of t

wo (2) cast or the 3d P. M., and the south half of the a titheast quarter of the southwast quarter of the southwast quarter of section two types of the 3d P. M., together with all and slogular the generatus and be reditaments thereunto become me. Sand premiers will be sold subject to test until on.

Marter in Chamtery for Macon county, Iil.

Buss A Page Sold for Count't.

Bunn & Pook, Sol's for Compl't, March 23 d od PUBLICATION NOTICE.

STATE OF ILI INOIS, J 88 Macon County, (88 County to the April Term, A. D. 1885.

Michael Dis in, Executor of the last Will and Testament of William Cantrell, decessed, SPRING WAGONS. ETC.

Jane Kellar, Abraham L. Kellar, Susan L.
Christie, Hail P. Christie, William A. Cantrell, Anna C. Cantrell, William Dillon, S. Smith, Anna C. Cantrell, William Dillon, William T. Dullon, Ynginta Dillon, Louis E.
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compounds spectron to therein, the same and the matters and things therein charged and stated with the taken as contessed, and a decree encered against you according to the prayer or said bill.

Docatur, limits, March 7, 1885.

G.P. HARDY, Clerk.

JOHAN M. CLOKEY, Complainant's Solicitor Man. Prairies.

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ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE. STATE OF ILLINOIS, | 88

STATE OF ILLINOIS, 186
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PUBLIC NOTHE is hereby given that on the 18th day of Tebruary, 185, Roswell W. Weld, of Decruir, Hinols, made a voluntary assignment, for the benefit of his creditors, of his 6 or 6 of Handware, I mware and Fixtures, now in the sorre building at No. 165 East Manistis et, in the entire, Hinols, under "An acconcerning for other his force of the poncounty courts," at d in force July 1-t, 187," to the undersigned, at delice ditors are becoby notified to present their claims under oath or affirmation to me, at Docatur, Honols, within three months from this date. Dated at Decatur, lilinois, this 14th day of Fubruary, A. D. 1885. Chancery Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, | 88.

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In the Circuit Court of the May Term, A. D.

Solution of Cassell v. Mary J. Allyn, Municial Allyn and Eulin Allyn—Billi for Specific Performance.

All navis of the non-residence of the above mained detendants having been filed in the olive of the delaw of said court, in-said county, notice is nereby given to the said dound and that the said Catherine R. Cassell has filed hor bill in said court for the specific performance of a contract entered in o by and between Luc us D. Aliyn dee asid, and said Catherine R. Cassell has filed hor bill in said court for the specific performance of a contract entered in o by and between Luc us D. Aliyn dee asid, and said Catherine R. Cassell, in the litetime of said Lucius D. Aliyn, in reference to it following described property to-wit Forty (sh) tet off of the west site of Lot five (s), B ock one (l), of Martin Forstmeyer's Ad disjunt to the city of Decatur, situated in said county and state, and that a summonn has seen is not done of the five side court against you, returned to unterest of the stag of said term of said court, that being May Hith. A. D. 1885.

Niow, unless 3 on, the said Mary J. Allyn, Minnie Ally n and Kolth Aliyn, shall personally be and appear before said court, on the first day of the next May term thereof, to be holden at the city of ecaturin said county and state, and plead, the city of ecaturins ald county and state on the Hith day of May, A. D. 1885, and plead the foremone and keept open understored the first control of the day of the next May term thereof, to be holden at the city of ecaturins ald county and state on the Hith day of May, A. D. 1885, and plead the core of the first control of the second of the city of ecaturins ald county and state on the Hith day of May, A. D. 1885, and plead the foremone and sept open understant the core of the first control of the county of the first and the core of the first control of the county of the method of the county of the method of the county of the method of

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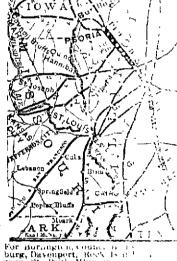
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